

# THE HAMLIN HERALD

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## Fire Takes Heavy Damage To Hamlin Cotton Oil Mill

Monday night about 7:45 fire was discovered in the meal, cake and hull store rooms of the Hamlin Cotton Oil Mill. At the time there was a howling high wind and freezing cold from the west, and the direction of the wind was perhaps the only thing that prevented a complete burnout of the plant. That is if the fire had started in a building to the west of the main plant the possibility of greater damage would have resulted.

At the time of the fire, the mill was under usual operations and the fire was in full headway when found. It will be recalled that all day an unusually hard sandstorm and high winds were blowing from the west-northwest and it is likely static started the blaze.

Hamlin Fire Boys responded and for about two hours put up a stiff fight to hold the fire within the store rooms and keep it from spreading into another hull and lint storage warehouse, and a battery of oil tanks. The wind and the cold made it especially hard on the men but they never wavered. It looked for awhile that they might need help and a fire unit from Stamford came over and gave any assistance that might be needed. The Hamlin Department and the mill management appreciate the ready support of Stamford.

This fire damage coming to the mill at this time will likely only delay further operations till about a week or maybe less. A conveyor system will be connected with the lint storage rooms and hulls will be cared for there, to finish out the season.

Mr. Moody, Manager of the mill, says they were having the biggest demand for meal and cake that has been in many years and ranchmen were taking it direct from the mill. For a few weeks this demand will be supplied by other plants in Sweet-

water and Rotan.

The burned warehouses will likely be replaced this summer with larger and improved arrangements, and perhaps on a fireproof basis as much as possible.

Hamlin Cotton Oil Mill is one of the valuable assets of this community. They are purchasers of cotton seed and manufacturers of several kinds of feeds.

### RESIDENCE DAMAGED

#### SATURDAY

The Mrs. Daniels home on Sixth Street was damaged considerably by fire last Saturday. Only a small part of the household goods were saved. Only the quick work of the fire boys kept another residence, occupied, just to the south, belonging to Leslie Sparks, from being lost.

### STARTING NEW CAFE

The Comer building, in what is known as the Howard block across from the Model Hotel, is resounding with new life this week.

Workmen have installed cafe fixtures, put partitions in the building, refinished the walls and ceilings and within a short while Mr. J. L. Collins and wife of Olney, Texas will be at the service of the hungry public with eats and iced drinks and cream, etc. Here is hoping them success.

Raymond Moulton who operates the Conoco Service Station in North Hamlin, has accepted a position with a bottling company in Abilene and moved to that city Monday. Roy Murff is manager of the station and it is still Moulton's station. Mr. Murff has operated a station in Hamlin before and is no stranger.

## DR. A E PARDUE DIED SUNDAY MORNING

This week Hamlin mourns the loss of one of her pioneer physicians and prominent citizens, Dr. A. E. Pardue, who passed away at 4:00 A. M. Sunday, February 26, at his home on Central Avenue.

The family, near neighbors and close friends of Dr. Pardue had realized for several days or weeks that he was coming gradually toward the end. His wonderful physique and endurance carried him along despite his age and serious condition. Dr. Pardue had been in failing health for more than six years, yet he carried on his expanding business with aggression and the energy of a younger and a well man.

Dr. Pardue was born at Downs-ville, Louisiana, September 13, 1871 and was 67 years, 5 months and 13 days of age. He was a member of a remarkable family of eleven children, his death being only the third one in the family. His father and one brother preceded him in death. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. B. W. Pardue, now 90 years of age, six brothers and three sisters. Three of the brothers, Taylor, Ben and Fred Pardue live at Downs-ville, La. Also two of the sisters, Mrs. Lena Rush and Mrs. Nettie Hemler, reside at Downs-ville. The other sister, Mrs. D. E. Ford, lives at Choudrant, La. Two other brothers, Dr. Cleve Pardue and Tom Pardue live at Vivian, La., and Dr. H. H. Pardue at Har-lington, Texas.

Dr. Pardue finished his medical training in 1898 at Louisville, Ky. Soon after his graduation in medicine he came to Texas and at Granger he met Miss Marie Green, who became his wife in 1904. To this union there are two children, a daughter, Velta, now Mrs. Holly Toler of Hamlin, and Arche E. Pardue, ranching near Stamford. There are three grandchildren.

Dr. Pardue and his wife and daughter, Velta, came to Hamlin in December 1909, and began the practice of medicine and for over 25 years was in active service. He was a man who managed well, and prospered in nearly every enterprise he touched. He became an extensive landowner in Fisher County, and especially in the Hitson community. Oil was discovered and some of Dr. Pardue's lands were in the middle of it. He soon became owner of many wells, yet he never relinquished his love for stock and farming interests. He loved beautiful cattle, mules and horses. He would often remark that oil was an accident, but crops and good stock could be grown. In recent years Dr. Pardue acquired a vast ranch northeast of Stamford, which since that time has become an oil field bearing his name. His son, Arche E., who is a native of Hamlin, is now manager of the ranching and oil property east of Stamford.

Dr. Pardue endeared himself to the masses of humanity by his efficient and faithful medical service. For more than 25 years he faced all kinds of weather, day and night, ad-

ministering to the sick and suffering. He enjoyed making a success in a business way and at the same time doing something for his fellow man. He never became too busy but that he would exchange a cheerful word with his friends. He was frank and free and won his way as he went among men.

Dr. Pardue was deeply interested in civic affairs, but his business and profession prevented him from extensive service, however he gave his time as a member of the City Council and the Public School Board. He became a christian at the age of 13 and was a member of the Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the First Methodist Church, by the pastor, Rev. H. W. Hanks.

The body was placed in state at the church at 1:30 P. M. to give his friends in all walks of life an opportunity to view the remains. All races of the community, and many from a distance passed by in tribute. A most unusual accumulation of flowers bore loving testimony. They were in profusion and from points remote to Hamlin.

The pallbearers were J. W. Ezell, C. C. Prater, Tom Holman, W. A. Albritton, T. E. Harden, J. Starr Inzer, Tarlton Willingham and B. L. Jones.

Only Tom Pardue and his daughter, Miss Jane, and Dr. H. H. Pardue and wife were able to arrive for the funeral, representing the immediate family.

Others from a distance in attendance were: A. F. White of Plano, a man who was a classmate and roommate of Dr. Pardue; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tolar of Longview, parents of Holly Tolar; Mr. and Mrs. Burt Brydson, of Austin, parents of Mrs. Arche Pardue; Mrs. J. A. Snodgrass, of Amarillo, a sister of Mrs. Pardue; and Mrs. Bernice Her-ring of Sweetwater, cousin of Holly Tolar.

Interment was in charge of the Barrow Company in East Cemetery.

### HAMLIN HIGH SCHOOL RECEIVES ADDITIONAL AFFILIATION

The report of the School Supervisor, Mr. R. N. Sandlin, sent Superintendent C. G. Green recently, endorses additional high school affiliation as follows; second year public school music—one unit; extra half unit in typing; one-half unit in occupations.

We are fully assured one and one half units of additional affiliation in vocational agriculture.

The public school music is taught by Miss Pauline Harrell, typing and occupations by Mr. Grigg and vocational agriculture by Mr. Templeton.

With the increased units acquired this year, Hamlin will have thirty units of affiliation as follows: English 4; history 3½; civics 1; economics ½; mathematics 4½; Spanish 2; high school science 4; home making 4; vocational agriculture 3; commercial arithmetic ½; typing 1; public school music 2.

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## WINTER'S WORST SANDSTORM MONDAY

It has been so long since the Herald printed a story of a sandstorm that we have almost lost the "jargon."

But whoever got it into their minds that this country was through with sandstorms, anyway? We have passed a year or so, maybe not so long, without one of our western horrors, maybe because the dirt played out, or something . . . when we had so many a few years ago.

You can not tell how a day will turn out. Monday was an example. Three or four kinds of weather visited this country that day, but nobody ever saw anything a "nor-western" couldn't push aside and push over or cover up.

Wonder who can estimate nature's power that will pull air in gushy gusts at the rate of from 30 to 60 miles per hour, two miles high and 500 miles wide? Is it a pulling power or a pushing power, Mr. Weatherman? Just how is it that the air can get into such an unbalanced condition till thousands of square miles will act like it is called to go somewhere and hasn't enough time to get there. Well, anyway that's the way it looked in this country, last Monday. O yes, we have seen it worse, and of a different kind. The kind that hurts is that style of sandstorm that is deathly quiet, when vision is about a quarter mile long, when you feel that silent settling of silt of a strange quality seeping in through the water-tight cracks, when the sun turns bloody red, and that sad hush enshrouds the whole creation. No, not that kind Monday. That day we had the old fashioned live "Wester" with almost a freezing temperature.

Many persons observed ducks trying to fly west, about 1000 feet up. They flopped their wings but there were sometimes more than a min-

### MRS. UBBEN'S MOTHER DIED

Funeral of Mrs. W. M. Schindler was held at Royston Monday afternoon of this week by Rev. J. Henry Littleton, pastor of the Baptist Church. She passed away early Sunday morning at the hospital in Rotan after a very short illness.

Mrs. Schindler was before her marriage, Miss Anna Thimpt and a native of Germany and was married to W. M. Schindler in 1899 and to this union were born three children, Mrs. Esther Meyner of Roby; Mrs. J. Ubben of Hamlin and William Schindler Jr., of Roby. Her husband died May 10, 1937. She is survived also by five step-daughters, Mrs. Marie Edge, Mrs. Martha Gray, Miss Louise Schindler, Mrs. Clara Smallwood and Mrs. Dorothy Bremer. There are nineteen grandchildren and one great grand child.

The deceased came to New Haven, Conn. in 1895 and to Royston, Tex., the Royston Baptist church for number of years.

ute when they stood still by actual gage, up there in the dust and wind.

It was a good day for damage, but in Hamlin it was slight.

The front wall and awning of the George Howard building, that was damaged by fire more than a year ago was toppled into the street, tearing down the awning in front of the Howard Grocery, and doing some damage. Luckily there was no one passing at the time. This necessitates some quick repair for the Howard house, and when it is all done, George will have a modern front.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Tucker, of Sherman, have been here this week looking after business interests and visiting their son, Hoyle, who has charge of the Tucker farm near Hamlin. They were also guests in the home of Mrs. Tucker's sister, Mrs. J. O. Jones.

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## WASHINGTON NEWS



FROM CONGRESSMAN  
CLYDE L. GARRETT

DO YOU WANT A JOB — The Coast Guard will give an examination in June for admission to their academy. It is a strict Civil Service examination and the appointments are made from those who pass in the order of their grades. They have a fine school and the boys who attend are in line for appointment to the Coast Guard or are almost certain to secure a place with some of the Merchant Marine Companies. If you are interested and will write me, I will send you their bulletin. The school is thorough in its work and has strict requirements.

SHOCKING PHYSICAL CONDITIONS—Last year I named eleven boys to a single place at the Naval Academy before one of them passed the physical requirements. This year out of eight boys sent so far only one of them has passed the preliminary physical examination. Our people should look into the physical condition of the coming young men of this country. Most of the defects noted could have been remedied if taken in hand soon enough.

RECENT LEGISLATION INTRODUCED—Some of the latest measures introduced in both Houses of Congress were: Rep. May's bill containing the President's national defense program; Reduction of the FCC from 7 to 3 members is advocated by Senator Wheeler, of Montana; Senator King of Utah wants the President to have authorization to call an arms limitation conference.

FAVORABLE OUTLOOK—With in the United States, business prospects remain favorable. Industrial production for the first quarter is holding up to the forecasted levels and trade is better than anticipated. Although there is a decline in factory employment and payrolls, this is in line with expectations.

PERMANENT RELIEF AGENCY Because an investigation last fall disclosed political abuses in relief, because economy is necessary in relief administration, and because it is believed that some form of relief will be a permanent part of the national economy and should be given a permanent form of administration, bills to this affect were placed before Congress. One measure was introduced by Senator Byrnes of South Carolina who advocated much the same things as contained in the measure by Rep. Woodrum of Virginia. Both would abolish the WPA. Senator Byrnes favors consolidation WPA, NYA, CCC and PWA in a Department of Public Works, while Rep. Woodrum would set up a new Unemployment Relief Administration.

CCC TRAINING BENEFICIAL—There seems to have been some misunderstanding among the people of this country in regard to the suggestions that the Civilian Conservation Corps' enrollees be given military training. A number of objections to this have been written in, urging that if such training is desirable it should be made universal. Some explanation may help. These young men would not be tied into service because they receive military training. In case of war, they would not be any nearer enlistment or draft than they would be without the training, while on the other hand, when and if they are enlisted or drafted and do have this training they would be just that much ahead in line for appointment as corporals and sergeants, and in some cases to officers' training camps. This would also be of great value to the country.

Mrs. Metta Haines, Miss Kathryn Magee and Miss Vera Berry attended the state beauty convention in Fort Worth this week.

#### BUSY BEES MEET

The Busy Bee Quilting Club will meet March 8 with Mrs. Howard Jenkins. Everyone bring a covered dish and come early. —Reporter.

When did you drive down to the City Park? . . . it is a lovely place now, even before the grass, trees and flowers show up . . . Go take a peep and fancy spending an evening down there with a handfull of bread, bacon and pickles, this summer.

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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### Lesson for March 5

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#### PETER PREACHES TO GENTILES

LESSON TEXT—Acts 10:30-48.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else.—Isaiah 45:22.

"God is no respecter of persons." Sometimes one wonders whether many of His people know about that glorious attribute of the Godhead. One thing is evident, that very few care to practice this divine principle. Just now the world seems to have gone entirely berserk in its proclamation of race superiority. Along with undue and improper recognition of wealth and position, there has always been in the hearts of men a measure of prejudice against other races. These hatreds seem now to have been fanned to a flaming intolerance of such as are not of what some regard as their own superior race. The more definite this intolerance, the more unlike God people really are. Let us weigh ourselves in the balances and see if we too are found wanting.

I. "In Every Nation" (vv. 30-35). Peter was a Jew, and God now used a vision to teach him a much-needed lesson regarding the carrying of the gospel to the Gentiles. The Jews were (and still are—let us remember it) God's chosen people. However, they were not chosen for their own comfort, convenience, or glory, but that they might be channels for the outflowing of God's blessing to all nations.

Cornelius was typical of those in every nation who are ready for the preaching of the gospel. He was a God-fearing, righteous man, but none the less in need of redemption. God brought this man who was ready to receive the message together with the man Peter who was prepared to preach it, and the result was salvation.

Whatever it may be that keeps us from carrying the gospel to all nations, we ought to recognize as unchristian, and put it aside. It may be race-prejudice, for it still persists; but it may be an equally deadly indifference to the needs of others. Let us, like Peter, go to them and open our mouths (v. 34) to proclaim Christ.

#### II. "Good Tidings of Peace" (vv. 36-43).

The death of Christ for their sins (v. 39). His resurrection from the dead for their justification (v. 40), the coming judgment for sin (v. 42), and remission of sins in His name—these are the essentials of Peter's message. Note how plain is the truth. Jesus has come and has wrought redemption for all who will believe. Now we must choose whether we want Him to be our Judge or our Redeemer. It is a case of "either—or." Either He is your Saviour, or He will be your Judge.

"God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved. He that believeth on him is not condemned; but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God" (John 3:17, 18).

The proclamation of this message of redemption was never completed, even "while Peter yet spake these words, the Holy Spirit fell upon them all" (v. 44). Blessed interruption! Would that we might have more like it in our churches and Bible schools.

#### III. "The Holy Spirit Fell" (vv. 44-48).

Notice that He came upon "them which heard the word" (v. 44). Book reviews, political addresses, discussion of civic or social problems will not bring the result. Forums, clubs, discussion groups, unless they have for their subject the Word of God, need not expect anything like this to happen. But preaching of the Word of God concerning the person and work of Christ, whether it be in a home (like that of Cornelius) or in the great cathedral (and thank God some of them do have such preaching), will result in some soul finding Christ, and receiving the Holy Spirit.

It is worthy of note that these believers gave evidence of their new-found spiritual life by magnifying God, obeying His word, and testifying to others. It is to the credit of Peter and his companions that they recognized the workings of God's grace in the lives of these Gentiles. May we also be quick to see, appreciate, and encourage every true gospel work, whether it be among our own people or with some other race, whether in our church or in some humble cottage. "God is no respecter of persons."

#### Revelation Must Speak

Let Revelation count the stars, weigh the mountains, fathom the depths—the employment becomes her, and the success is glorious. But when the question is: "How shall man be just with God?" reason must be silent, revelation must speak; and he who will not hear it assimilates himself to the first deist, Cain; he may not kill a brother, he certainly destroys himself.—Henry Melvill.

## EXPRESS SERVICE HUNDRED YEARS OLD

March 4, 1939 has been designated "Express Day" at the San Francisco Golden Gate International Exposition, it was announced today by R. W. Stubblefield, agent of Railway Express Agency, Hamlin.

The event will mark the 100th anniversary of the birth of express service in the United States. A pageant, "A Century of Service" will be staged in one of the big amphitheaters of the Fair grounds on Treasure Island, reviewing spectacular epochs in the development of Express transportation.

The centennial, according to Mr. Stubblefield, marks the date in March 1839 when the "original expressman," William F. Harnden, started the first package express between Boston and New York carrying only a carpetbag. He was followed by other pioneers, notably Henry Wells, William Fargo, and Alvin Adams, who brought the express to the West during the gold rush era and played a large role in the development of the country.

The express stages provided primitive but much needed transportation for passengers, express and mail, before railroads came. The overland stage lines and the Pony Express, which the pioneer expressmen sponsored, connected west and east and ushered in an era of great commercial expansion and railroad construction. The express forged ahead and virtually blanketed the country, winning a constantly increasing volume of business and adding to the variety of its services, including the collection and delivery of shipments, moving on the passenger trains of all American railroads.

Consolidation of express companies and unification of the service were accomplished during the World War and in March 1929, the "Class I" railroads acquired ownership of the business and continued its operation through the Railway Express Agency, the nation's "express company" today.

Agent Stubblefield takes pride in the fact that from Harnden's carpetbag one hundred years ago, the express has developed into a vital expedited transportation system of nation-wide extent, handling over 140,000,000 shipments annually. Moreover, he adds, Railway Express operates on 213,000 miles of railway lines; conducts a high-speed air express service on 35,000 miles of airlines, maintains 23,000 offices and provides employment for 57,000 men and women and uses 11,000 vehicles in providing pickup and delivery service at all principal cities and towns.

## OF CONCERN TO ALL

### "SAVING THE SMALL TOWN"

Many sociologists are worried just now about the small town's future. They feel that the small towns and cities of the nation are being literally swallowed up by the metropolises. Like a giant vacuum cleaner the metropolis moves ever outward, sucking into its orbit all the independent towns and villages. The average large city now considers all the small cities within a radius of 100 miles as part of its "trade territory." Eventually they will be considered suburbs of the big town. Then, finally, they will cease to be altogether. That is, unless the present trend is reversed.

There is no doubt about the big city seeking to bring all the small towns into its orbit. The big city is parasitic and could not exist without the support of its neighboring communities. Therefore, it is doing all in its power to tie them more closely to it, economically, socially, culturally. The big city merchant sends his circulars into the small town, inviting the people's patronage. The big city newspaper goes into the small city and fights for circulation against the small town newspaper, the organ of the local town baker. The big city retailer lives bread in the small town, sometimes at cut-rate prices, making competition difficult for the small-town baker. The big city retailer goes after small town business, while the city wholesaler attempts to drive his small-town competitors out of business.

Every effort is being made to freeze out the small towns, to make "wide places in the road" of them, where a few filling stations exist to sell gasoline to those on their way to the big city to do their shopping.

But the point is, under such an arrangement, all the money flows one

## Are These Typical American Boys?



Thousands of American boys between the ages of 7 and 17 are competing for the title of "the typical American boy." The winner will receive \$1000 first prize. Judges who will decide include Edgar A. Guest, Dale Carnegie, Ad Carter, Dean Cornwell, and Coach Jim Crowley of Fordham University. Here are six of the young entrants. Top left is William W. Campbell, Jr., 11, of Salem, Mass.; top right is George Kendrick, 10, of Winchester, Ky.; center left, Donald Young, 17, of Phelps, N. Y.; right center, Jimmie Heap, 15, of Des Moines, Ia.; lower left, James Jankow, Detroit, Mich., aged 16, and lower right, Edmund Martin, 7, of Los Angeles.

way. Small-town folk buy in the metropolitan centers, but people from the big cities never go to the small towns to trade. Eventually, if this continues, the small towns will pass out of the picture—victims of the process of elimination.

This would be a bad thing for America. What we need is better distribution of population, less congestion; more small, integrated communities and fewer metropolitan octopuses. If the present trend continues, the small towns will vanish, the countryside will be swallowed up and America will become one vast Suburbia. Such a country would bear no resemblance to the nation our forefathers founded—a land of farms, small towns and independent communities. Yet these are the trends of the times. Only those who dwell in small communities can reverse it—by trading at home and refusing to patronize the cities which are seeking to absorb them.—Denison Herald, as printed in Sunday's Star-Telegram.

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MRS. D. J. PAYNE. (18)

#### ELECTRIC FENCE

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On Saturday, March 4, at 9:00 A. M., I will demonstrate ELECTRIC FENCE on some hogs and cattle, at the J. W. Rives farm one-half mile west of Tuxedo. Come and see this demonstration.

C. C. RENFRO (18)

PHILCO RADIO for trade for good bundle feed, good cotton seed or plowing.

C. C. RENFRO. (18p)

Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Haynes of Garden City came over to attend the funeral of Dr. A. E. Pardue Monday.

## Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. Jas. Filler says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even pressed on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

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## WHY TAXES ANYWAY?

The only reason for any kind of tax is to pay some kind of governmental expense. If the expense is of little or no value then there should be no tax for that purpose. The more important the thing to be done by the unit of government, the more necessary the tax money be had, and the more certain the system of taxation be on a basis that will get the money. If a governmental function calls for one million dollars expenditure that much must be raised by taxes or else somebody holds a cold check.

Deficits come ordinarily because somebody did not pay their taxes, or could not pay. The best method to meet all expenses is to get the tax money a little at a time, like collecting the gasoline tax or paying postage. In that manner taxes do come first and the job is done.

## THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER

(From Industrial Review)

A recent bulletin of the American Newspaper Publishers Association carries word of the newspaper advertising views of Safeway Stores, Inc., a large Western food chain. These views could be profitably emulated by industry and commerce in general.

In brief, the Safeway company believes that newspapers of regular publication, large and small, perform an important public service, and that advertising revenue is essential to keeping the price charged the subscriber low enough to bring the paper within financial reach of every possible family.

The company believes that when the so-called free circulation newspaper attempts to lure advertisers, using a lower rate as bait, "it is the beginning of a vicious circle—first, depleting the established publication; next, through bankruptcy, depriving the community of such news service; encouraging the free distribution paper into becoming a paid circulation and news distributing publication, followed by additional free circulation papers and thus completing the cycle."

Finally, the Safeway company instructs its division managers to avoid using handbills and free distribution papers except when absolutely necessary, and then to use the job shops of local regular newspapers where possible.

Here is a logical and progressive policy. The local newspaper fills a vital place in the American scene. It is more than a business—it is a record of the times in which we live. Through news and comment it brings to its readers knowledge of what is going on at home—as well as what is going on in the far flung capitals of the world. Measured by the rigid yardstick of dollars-and-cents, alone, the newspaper advertiser gets his full money's worth—and at the same time makes possible the existence of an irreplaceable institution.

The rewards of good deeds endure.—Juvenal.

## Bring Your Doctor and Inspect Our PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT

The health of your family is paramount. And when sickness requires your Doctor's attention, it also calls for prescriptions to be filled.

Our function as a drug store is built around our prescription department. Bring your Doctor and visit our department.

In our Rexall Drug Store, the Inzer Pharmacy, you will always find a registered pharmacist on duty. He compounds prescriptions only with fresh, full strength U. S. P. ingredients. He double-checks all work for accuracy. And he gives quick service.

Remember, Inzer's Pharmacy, the Rexall Drug Store for the best prescription service in town. Look for the Rexall Store Sign.

## I Give You TEXAS

(By BOYCE HOUSE)

Sign in a Fort Worth lunch room: "Try our sandwiches; nobody likes a coward."

The day's bit of philosophy:

"He who has a thousand friends

Has not a friend to spare;

And he who has one enemy

Will meet him everywhere."

The mass of mail pouring in on Texas legislators is the heaviest in history. Most of the letters from the cities are protesting against the Fair Trade Act and Anti-Discrimination bill. Very little has been heard yet from small towns and rural sections; and representatives of those districts are wondering about the attitude of their constituents toward these price-fixing measures which, it is pointed out, would raise prices in every town in Texas.

Many merchants are of the opinion the bills would help them but Jim Carroll, widely known newspaperman and executive secretary of the Texas Merchants Association, takes the position that the bills would surrender to out-of-state manufacturers the power to fix the price that Texas consumers must pay; that, though the price to the consumer would be raised, there would be no corresponding increase in payment for raw materials or wages, consequently it would amount to a reduction in income for the consumer and, as proof, cites New York where the price of 4,800 items was raised 8 per cent after a price-fixing law was passed. President Roosevelt is opposed to such laws and the effect in Texas would be to knock out the anti-trust laws that James Stephen Hogg labored so hard to place on the statute books.

Other interesting bills are pending before the Legislature. For centuries, the village smithy has stood beneath the spreading chestnut tree (to quote Longfellow) and the blacksmith has plied his trade as a rugged individualist, untrammelled and unfettered by government. But now a law has been proposed to make the blacksmiths take out a license and (you guessed it) there will be a new state board and more government jobs.

Another bill provides for licensing high school janitors. Why discriminate against college janitors, ward school janitors and kindergarten janitors? Let's have a separate board, with more fees and more appointments, for each group!

Austin hotel lobbies are filled with interesting people from all parts of the state these days.

Coming through the lobby the other night was General M. J. Bonner of Fort Worth, wearing a Confederate uniform. The Confederate veteran played old Southern tunes on his fiddle when Col. A. E. Humphreys, late "king of the wildcaters," was host to General John J. Pershing at Mexia during the oil boom.

Nearby, two men were chatting—Harley Sadler, who for 22 years has entertained West Texas with his tent-show dramas, and Hick Halcomb. The showman took "time out" last summer to campaign for his cousin, Jerry Sadler, who was elected State Railroad Commissioner. Halcomb was Jerry's campaign manager. Incidentally, the picturesque Hick, in speaking of someone he doesn't especially like, has a saying, "Yes, that fellow is studying to be a halfwit."

Another recent visitor to the Capital city was Joe Caldwell, former legislator from Asherton, who was welcomed to Southwest Texas in a most unusual fashion. When he stopped his car in front of a friend's house just at nightfall, a wildcat jumped into his lap. (The half-grown animal was tame).

Even more startling was the experience of Constable Dusty Rhodes of Fort Worth (who was in Austin a few days ago). Some years back, the authorities were hunting for the victims of the Handley murders. Rhodes stopped his auto just at dusk

on a bridge over the trinity, looked over the balustrade and found himself gazing into the faces of three corpses. One man went to the electric chair and another in in Alcatraz because of that discovery.

A well known Austin man who lives in a hotel has a regular hotel telephone and also has an outside phone. The other night, he was lonesome so he called the hotel on the outside line, had the hotel operator connect him with his room and then—one receiver in each hand—he carried on a conversation with himself.

Entry in that "oldest joke" contest: A negro, enlisting during the World War, was asked, "Do you want to join the cavalry?" He answered, "No, suh; if them enemies gets after me, I don't want to be bothered with no hoss."

## LOWER INTEREST RATE ANNOUNCED

The interest rate to members of the Sweetwater Production Credit Association was reduced one-half of one per cent on all money advanced beginning February 24, Mr. O. H. Berry, Secretary-Treasurer announced for the Board of Directors of the Sweetwater Production Credit Association.

"This is made possible," said Mr. Berry, "by the continued ready sale of Federal Intermediate Credit Bank debentures to the investing public bearing low rates of interest and the favorable operating results of the Federal Intermediate Credit Banks and the production credit associations during 1938." Mr. Berry explained that the association discounts the farmers' notes which it takes with the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston.

"The new rate will be four and one-half per cent per year, and as usual, interest will be charged only for the period which the members actually have the money. It should, of course, be understood," continued Mr. Berry, "that all money advanced before February 24 will continue to carry the five per cent rate until paid. The reduction also is effective in all the other production credit associations throughout the country."

"This is the lowest rate at which production credit has been made available and the lowest discount rate made by the Federal Intermediate Credit Banks. Based upon the present volume of business, this interest rate will result in annual savings of approximately \$800,000 to the 243,000 members of the 535 production credit associations in the United States."

The Sweetwater Production Credit Association, according to Mr. Berry, last year did a business totaling \$1,041,726.00. "These loans" he said are made for agricultural purposes and repayments are made at the time when the member is best able to pay from the sale of crops or livestock or other operations financed. Most loans are made on the budget plan in which members get a commitment from the association to advance to them sums covering certain periods, thus enabling them to be sure of sufficient funds to carry them through their agricultural operations and yet not have to pay interest on the entire amount for the whole season. The budget plan provides for advancing part of the entire amount as needed."

(Note) Mr. Berry is a former Hamlin banker and a son-in-law of a Hamlin couple, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Bynum. The above article from his office in Sweetwater was accompanied by a check for the Herald to come to him for a year. Thanks, O. H.



To enjoy work, a woman must feel well. Cardui aids in building up the whole system by helping women to get more energy from their food—and so increases resistance to the strain of functional periodic pain. Try it!

**CARDUI**

Mrs. Sam Hardy of Houston came up to attend the funeral of Dr. A. E. Pardue Monday. This is her girlhood home town.

### TEXANS TODAY

**DR. UMPHREY LEE**

BORN OAKLAND CITY, INDIANA, 1893. ATTENDED PUBLIC SCHOOLS INDIANA AND MISSOURI. AT 17, ENTERED DANIEL BAKER COLLEGE, B.A. - TRINITY, 1914; M.A. - S.M.U., 1916; PH.D. - COLUMBIA, 1931.

STUDIED IN EUROPE, DIRECTOR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CHURCH OF HOLY APOSTLES, NEW YORK; DIRECTOR WESLEY BIBLE CHAIR, UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS; PROFESSOR OF HOMILETICS, S.M.U.; DEAN OF SCHOOL OF RELIGION, VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY; AND AT 45 IS PRESIDENT, SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY. A SCHOOL THAT DRAWS FROM 40 STATES AND 10 FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FAMOUS FOR ITS EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENTS AND RELIGIOUS TOLERANCE.

OUTSTANDING LEADERS ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN THE CONSTRUCTIVE DEVELOPMENT AND BUILDING OF "THE LONE STAR STATE"

WRITTEN BOOKS ABOUT JOHN WESLEY, THE BIBLE, METHODISM, AND MODERN RELIGION. WIDELY KNOWN AS EDUCATOR, AUTHOR, PREACHER, POSSESSING REMARKABLE VISION.

OUTDOOR ENTHUSIAST, CAMP COOK, FOOTBALL FAN, KEEN SENSE OF HUMOR AND A GOOD CONJUNCTOR.

## Fisher County Agents Teaching How to Live

BY JEWELL HIPP

Assistant County Home Demonstration Agent, Fisher County

During the month of January, Miss Jewell Hipp, assistant home demonstration agent of Fisher County, gave 21 method demonstrations on poultry and frame gardens; two meetings on yard improvements, one being a tour of nurseries for the purpose of identifying different shrubs; meeting of the sponsors association, reporters association, county home demonstration council and rural electrification were also held.

Three days of the month were spent in the office and twenty-three in the field. Traveled 1073 miles over the county, landscaping 19 yards and visiting 20 poultry demonstrators; 8325 bulletins were distributed, 121 office calls received, 36 individual letters written and four circular letters sent out. Total number of meetings 29, total attendance

The presidents of 21 girls 4-H clubs of Fisher County are as follows according to Miss Jewell Hipp, Assistant County Home Demonstration Agent: Busby, Marcelle Schluter, Roby, Texas; Capitola, Stella Rogers, Sweetwater, Rt. 2; Center, Ivell Snodgrass, Roby; Dowell, Mil-Leila Beth Bowdry, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Eskota, Myrtle Cooper, Eskota; Gannon, Mildred Hughes, Sweetwater, Rt. 2; Hitson, Mary Holland, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Hobbs Sr., Odessa Weems, Camp Springs; Hobbs Jr., Betty Jo Acker, Rotan; Longworth, Vonelle Lee, Longworth; McCaulley Jr., Laverne Maberry, McCaulley; McCaulley Sr., Emma Sue Hennington, McCaulley; Moody, Mona Lee Davison, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Newman, Mel-line Fowell, Sylvester; Palava, Tommie Nell Leeper, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Plasterco, Aladean Smith, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Pleasant Valley, Catherine Moize, Rotan; Roby, Orlena Morris, Sweetwater, Rt. 2; Royston, Marjorie Dale Thornton, Royston; Swedonia, Jean Andes, McCaulley, Rt. 1; Sylvester, Opal Jean Josey, Sylvester.

The girls 4-H club sponsors are as follows: Busby, Mrs. C. C. Casey, Roby, Rt. 2; Capitola, Mrs. Bennie Kidd, Sweetwater; Center, Miss Eileen McReynolds, Roby; Dowell, Mrs. W. D. Denton, Rotan; Eskota, Miss Opal Blankenship, Eskota; Gannon, Mrs. Billie Hicks, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Hitson, Miss Roberta Beard, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Hobbs, Mrs. W. B. Willingham, Rotan; Longworth, Miss Frances Haywood, Roby; McCaulley Jr., Mrs. Viola Smaulley, McCaulley; McCaulley Sr., Miss Manon Jayroe, McCaulley; Moody, Mrs. Jack Davison, Sweetwater; Newman, Mrs. Lea Dickerson, Sylvester, Rt. 1; Palava, Mrs. T. P. Whittenburg, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Plasterco, Miss Fleeta Viola Elkins, Hamlin, Rt. 4; Pleasant Valley, Miss Jessie Jack Horn,

Rotan; Roby, Mrs. Jake Feagan, Roby; Royston, Mrs. Claud Russell, Royston; Swedonia, Miss Leota Bailey, Hamlin; Sylvester, Mrs. Wayne Parmenter, Sylvester.

The Fisher County 4-H girl club poultry demonstrators are: McCaulley Jr., Evelyn Akin, McCaulley; McCaulley Sr., Vela Parker, Jean Andes; Swedonia, Betty Jo Andes, McCaulley, Rt. 2; Dowell, Bonnie Bell Brown, Rotan; Newman, Nadine Boyd, Sylvester; Hitson, Lorene Cooper, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Roby, Ida Bell Dooley, Roby; Plasterco, Aladean Smith, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Center, Bobbie Finch, Roby, Rt. 2; Falava, Opal Jo George, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Capitola, Winnie Faye Green, Sweetwater, Rt. 2; Gannon, Ilomae Dickerson, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Pleasant Valley, Madeline Kiker, Rotan; Eskota, Ouida Johnston, Eskota; McCaulley Sr., Velta Parker, McCaulley; Longworth, Lyndell Moore, Longworth; Sylvester, Rowena Newhouse, Sylvester; Moody, Leta Mae Shaw, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Busby, Louise Woods, Roby; Hobbs Sr., Bernice Weems, Rotan; Hobbs Jr., Betty Jean Murphy, Rotan, Rud Rt. 1.

The Fisher County 4-H girls club clothing demonstrators are as follows: Hobbs, Billie Brown, Snyder, Rt. 1; Busby, Annie Mae Carleton, Roby; Hitson, Anna Faye Carnes, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Palava, Dollie Cartwright, Sweetwater, Rt. 1; Cannon, Daphne Cody, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Eskota, Myrtle Cooper, Rt. 1; Moody, Nona Lee Davidson, Sweetwater, Rt. 4; Longworth, Erma Dooley, Roby; McCaulley, Geraldine Eidson, Sylvester, Thelma J. Everheart; Royston, Catherine Crowley, Royston; Capitola, Geneva Parnell, Sweetwater, Rt. 2; Dowell, Dorothy Faye Phillips, Rotan; Plasterco, Mary Jo Sills, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Swedonia, Alva Smith, Hamlin, Rt. 2; Center, Vesta Snodgrass, Roby, Rt. 2; Pleasant Valley, Elizabeth Terrell, Rotan; Newman, Doris Mae Criswell, Sylvester; Roby, Billie Jo Wilkins, Roby.

Twenty-one girls clubs were met by the Assistant Agent in January on the demonstration "Planning the food supply and breeding and brooding." The title on the program was "Foods that make us happy." Parts of the program taken up were as follows:

1. Foods that make us better looking girls
2. How much food do we need
3. Ways of supplying these needed foods,
  - a. Frame garden
  - b. Poultry
  - c. Home orchard.

On the part "Foods that make us better looking girls," was discussed the amount of food each person per day needed to have an adequate diet, as taken up in D-105 "Good Looks for Girls." One serving of green or yellow vegetables each day,

one serving daily of citrus fruit or tomatoes, one serving daily of other fruit, one serving of meat each day, one egg per day and one quart of milk, one serving of whole grain products, bread and butter at every meal, some sweets, dried peas and beans three times a week, and from six to eight glasses of water every day.

Ways of supplying these needed foods were discussed by the girls and a frame garden displayed by the assistant agent, which was 9 feet long, 3 feet wide and 1 foot high. The frame garden was made of 1 x 12 planks and by use of highes and screen hooks was portable. Sub-irrigation tile of both concrete and old tin cans were displayed. The cover for the frame garden was made of a good grade of wall canvas and placed over it. Mimeographed material, which listed the planting seasons and variety of vegetables was discussed and distributed as those that are most suitable for the climate and soil of West Texas. C-121, Frame Garden Suggestions was also distributed.

On breeding and brooding the importance of having good quality chicks was discussed and pictures of different breeds were shown classifying them according to meat production, egg breeds or general purpose breeds. The bulletin on "Growing Baby Chicks" was distributed and discussed fully on the proper breeding baby chicks. That of first importance in growing chickens is to see that the baby chicks are kept comfortable by having a clean brooder, correct temperature, adequate rations, plenty of fresh water and that the baby chicks be kept free of insects and parasites.

How to care for the laying hen was also taken up so that there would be no boarders in the flock. This may be obtained by culling the hens, having plenty of housing space, providing clean nests, one nest for every five hens and by supplying an adequate laying ration with plenty of green feed. It is also important, in order to keep the chicken house sanitary, to have pit-type roosts enclosed with wire and low enough that the hens will have proper ventilation and not damage their feet by jumping from too high roosts, which might also cause bumble foot. Other poultry bulletins were distributed to the girls at these meetings so they might make bulletin files.

Last Tuesday and Wednesday nights were the first Newspaper Coupon nights at the Ferguson Theatre. Watch out and clip another coupon for next week.

## SPECIALS

Oak tan leather soles and rubber heels attached while you wait . . .

Shoe REPAIR PAYS  
**J. B. BOWMAN'S SHOE SHOP**



## SOCIETY

### FORMER HAMLIN GIRL MARRIED IN BORGER

Miss Lucile Watson and John G. Cowan were united in marriage Wednesday, February 22 in Borger. Below is an account of the wedding which was taken from the Borger Daily News:

Beautiful in its simplicity was the wedding yesterday morning of Miss Lucile Watson of Abilene, daughter of Mrs. J. E. Watson of Hamlin, to John G. Cowan of Borger, son of Mrs. W. G. Cowan of Wister, Okla. Nuptials were spoken at 10 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Brookes, with the Rev. J. B. McReynolds officiating.

For the ring ceremony the bride, a former Borgan, wore a black and white ensemble, black patent accessories, and a shoulder corsage of sweet peas. She also wore a necklace over 100 years old that belongs to a friend.

Mrs. Brookes, her only attendant, was frocked in royal blue velvet, with wine accessories. She too had a shoulder corsage of sweet peas. Mr. Brookes served the bridegroom as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for a short wedding trip to points in New Mexico.

Upon their return to Borger, they will be at home at 303 West Fifth Street. The bridegroom is an employee of the Phillips Petroleum Co.

### MRS. JOE CULBERTSON HOSTESS TO CLUB

Mrs. Joe Culbertson was hostess to the Blue Bird Club in her home on Hope Avenue, Tuesday afternoon. Games of bridge were played in which Mrs. Paul Fowler held high score.

At the refreshment hour a salad plate with a sweet and coffee was served.

Those present were Mmes. Paul Fowler, M. T. Woodward, John Ed Day, T. A. Thigpen, Arice Jones, Art Carmichael, F. D. Wells, R. E. Johnson, Elmer Feagan, Ted Bledsoe and Mrs. Carl Lamb, of Baird.

### BAPTIST WOMEN OBSERVE WEEK OF PRAYER

The Home Mission week of prayer was observed this week by the Baptist Women's Missionary Society, with three special programs given at the church Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. Mrs. D. W. Stell, the general program chairman, was assisted in arranging and presenting the programs by the circle chairman of the Missionary Society. Tuesday's program was directed by Mrs. Forest Boyd. Assisting here were Mrs. J. L. Keen, Mrs. W. L. Boyd, Mrs. Eckler and Mrs. Griffin. Mrs. G. P. Odom directed the program Wednesday afternoon which was given by the Lucille Reagan Circle, composed of the young women of the church. The program Thursday afternoon was given by the Deter-Walker Circle with Mrs. L. H. McCarley as leader.

Attendance and interest in each meeting was reported good.

Mrs. Lawrence Ivey of Tulsa, Oklahoma, was down last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ivey of the Dovie community. It is in order here to say that Lawrence Ivey is growing more prominent every day as a radio pianist for a music company in Tulsa. He is a former student of Mrs. W. C. Russell. Tune in at 6:30 A. M. and 1:15 P. M. each week day KVOO. His mother says she is up every morning to hear her son play.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter and son, Tommy, were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Crabb in Sweetwater.

### Sour Stomach Sweetened This Way

When acid indigestion turns your stomach sour and fills it with disturbing gas, then take Bisma-Rex, the 4-action anti-acid powder. Get a bottle of 50 doses for 50c at your Rexall Drug Store.

**Inzer Pharmacy**  
HAMLIN, TEXAS

### ST. PATRICK THEME USED IN PARTY

A delightful hospitality was extended to members of the Kongenial Kard Klub by Mrs. Norman Wilson when she entertained in her home Tuesday afternoon. Spring flowers decorated the entertaining rooms where a Saint Patrick theme was used in appointments at the three bridge tables. The Saint Patrick motif was further emphasized in the attractive table covers of green and white and favors of tiny shamrocks. Sweet peas in pastel shades were used as centerpieces. A salad course with cookies and Russian tea was served.

In the bridge games Mrs. M. T. Hudson made high score. Others playing were Mmes. Butcher, Raymond Jones, Sherman, Lancaster, C. C. Reed, Vera Nobles, L. B. Maberry, Frank Lawlis, Jodie Creel, O. G. Harvey and Bruce Henry.

### PARTY COMPLIMENTS VISITOR

Mrs. C. G. Green entertained in her home on Union Avenue, Wednesday afternoon, complimenting Mrs. S. B. Tucker, of Sherman who is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. O. Jones.

Red and pink geraniums and sweet peas formed the floral decoration in rooms where guests spent the afternoon playing bridge. High scores were made by Mrs. Elmer Feagan and Mrs. Tucker.

Following the games a plate holding pine apple pudding, olives, cake and coffee was served to Mmes. Tucker, Jones, D. D. Harden, Fred Moore, H. O. Cassle, D. J. Payne, J. P. Morgan, W. R. Calhoun, J. W. Ezell, Elmer Feagan, D. O. Sauls and J. L. Keen.

### T. C. ROBERTSON JR. MARRIES WACO GIRL

T. C. Robertson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Robertson, of Hamlin, and Miss Ruby Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ferguson, of Waco, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, February 25 at 4:00 o'clock in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson are making their home in Hamlin where he is employed with the Magnolia Oil Agency.

### WATCH YOUR NAME

One of the hardest things a small newspaper has to deal with, is keeping the subscription list fully paid up. It is a poor business way to allow a paper to continue on and on without an order for renewal. This all comes about because the smaller papers do not have an automatic addresser system which shoots out the name on the date of expiration. It takes a lot of grit to pull out a name who is a friend and neighbor of the editor, but it is the only way where that friend or neighbor fails to note the expiration date on his paper.

The Herald would be glad if each subscriber check on the date for the expiration time. We want every copy to reach you and that means the address must be correct too. Don't wait till a half year is gone before our attention is called to an error. The subscriber is always right."

### A WOMAN HUNG

her arms around her husband's neck and begged him to take her to the program at the McCaulley School Auditorium, Thursday night, March 9, at 7:45. The program will consist of a "Jack and Jill" wedding, a puppet show, quartet numbers, accordion solos, a boxing match, an old fashioned style show, etc. Admission, children 10c and adults 15c. Proceeds go for league fees and playground equipment.

—Reporter.

Kurt Schoemann, manager of the Strauss Dry Goods store, returned last Sunday from Dallas where he spent two weeks taking a special course in dry goods merchandising—this included window trimming, card writing, display and layout for ads. It was really a school of instructions of how to get the merchant message across to the possible buyer. The ad lay-outs in the Herald this week reflect the good style and proportion Kurt gained in Dallas.

Mrs. Carl Lamb, of Baird, was here this week to visit relatives and friends.

## FLAT TOP- SOUTH SIDE NEWS

(By Nancy O'Neal)

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bruner and son, L. B., of South Side were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bruner of Flat Top Sunday evening.

Miss Dorothy Hines of Flat Top was a guest of Miss Mary Stovall Sunday.

Mr. Dick Coon is improving after several days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis of Flat Top were guests of the Sedberry families Friday evening.

Miss Lucille Newcomb of South Side was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joll Newcomb of Lueders over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bowman and children of Flat Top visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bruner of South Side Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hines of Flat Top were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Estil Hines of Plasterco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McGough visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Coon of South Side Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. O'Neal of South Side Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. William Sedberry, Miss Lucille Newcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sedberry and children Lita Marie and James, also of South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Younger and two daughters of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Boren and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Coon of South Side Tuesday afternoon.

Some of the best pictures are on Tuesday and Wednesday nights, and that is the time when the Herald Coupons are good for a nickle.

**Droopy?**  
**Not now!**  
... thanks to Syrup of Black-Draught.  
When your child is less keen and lively than usual, it may be a warning of constipation. If so, try Syrup of Black-Draught. It's pleasant to taste, and there's nothing in it that can harm a child's delicate intestinal system when given according to the directions.  
**Ask for Syrup of Black-Draught.**



Miss Elsie Wienke and Mrs. Perry Sparks returned Thursday afternoon from Fort Worth where they attended Texas Beauty Convention. They were accompanied by Mrs. Gordon Bennett and little daughter, Patricia Lee, who visited her brother in Fort Worth.

### SENIORS PRESENT PLAYS

Tuesday night, February 28, members of the Senior class who desire parts in the annual Senior play, presented four one act plays, directed by students, to a large audience. The cast for the annual Senior play will be chosen from those who made the highest grades as actors and actresses in these plays. We believe after you saw these plays—if you did—and if you didn't we feel that you should have seen them, that you will agree that we have capable actors and actresses for any part.

We wish to thank each of you for your presence and extend to you a very hearty welcome to our Senior play which will be given sometime in April.

—Reporter.

## GOV. O'DANIEL SAYS ADVERTISE

AUSTIN, Feb. 28.—Declaring that "Texas must tell the world before she can sell the world," Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel this week urged all Texans to cooperate in the drive to place an outstanding exhibit at the New York World's Fair as the first step toward the industrialization of Texas.

"We must advertise to the world the vast resources, the opportunities for industrial development, and the conditions for betterment of life which abound in Texas," the Governor said. "The greatest opportunity for so advertising Texas will be available to us by adequate participation in the New York World's Fair."

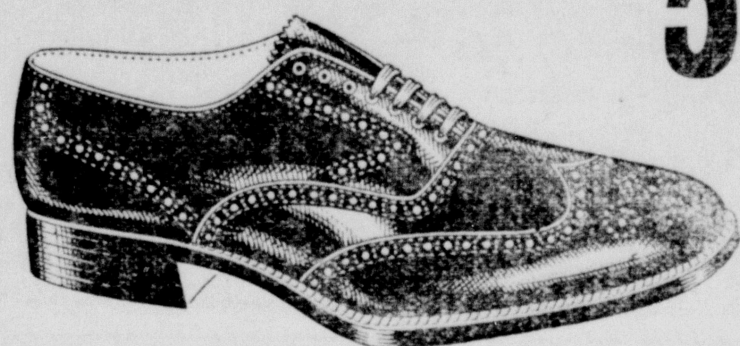
Pointing out that the 45th Legislature created the Texas World's Fair Commission to arrange exhibits at the fair, Governor O'Daniel said that "recently, at my request, representative business and industrial leaders met with Lieutenant-Governor Coke Stevenson and me to discuss the project. At this meeting considerable sums were pledged and I have since received numerous assurances that others will respond with substantial contributions. We are endeavoring to raise \$250,000 to present and maintain an exhibit at the World's Fair which will insure representation commensurate with the greatness of our state."

Texas' participation in the World's Fair is vital to the state's industrial program, Governor O'Daniel pointed out. "Many other states, few of them so fortunate as Texas in climate, resources and people, will be well represented at the fair," he said. "Texas must not fail to participate. We must have an exhibit at the World's Fair of which every Texan will be proud."

Governor O'Daniel revealed that a feature length motion picture in Technicolor covering every phase of Texas life has been made under the sponsorship of Karl Hoblitzelle of Dallas, vice-chairman of the Commission.

## Jarman Shoes for men

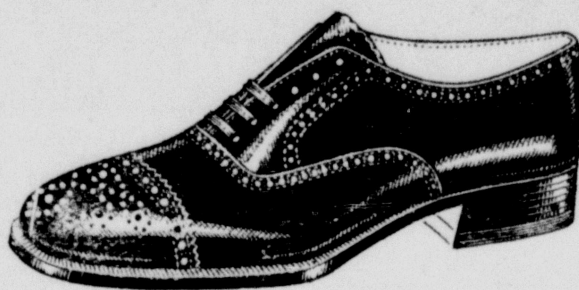
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## Fortune Shoes

don't cost a fortune

4<sup>00</sup>



## Davison Shoes

a real value

3<sup>00</sup>

**STRAUSS DRY GOODS CO.**

HAMLIN, TEXAS

### ADOLESCENT PROBLEMS

DISCUSSED BY P.-T. A.

On Thursday afternoon, Feb. 23, the Hamlin High School Parent-Teacher Association met in regular session in the high school auditorium.

Invocation was offered by Superintendent C. G. Green, after which a group from the high school choral club, under the direction of Miss Pauline Harrell, gave two musical numbers: "Italian Street Song," and "Gypsy Love Song."

Mrs. W. T. Cherry, program chairman, led the members in a very interesting round table discussion of the subject "Controlling and Guiding the Adolescent Child."

During the brief business session which followed the program, the association voted to sponsor the purchase of a moving picture projector and sound equipment for the Hamlin schools. Also at this time, President W. L. Fletcher appointed a nominating committee to nominate officers for next year. Those on the committee are: Brother H. W. Hanks, chairman; Mrs. M. Y. Wilson and Mrs. Dick Low.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Spaulding and son, Rodney Allen, of Wichita Falls, came down Sunday to visit Mrs. Spaulding's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rountree. Mr. Spaulding returned to Wichita Falls Monday and Mrs. Spaulding will remain for two weeks visit.

Children, if you will be smart you can earn a nickle by clipping out one of the Herald Newspaper Night coupons and sell it to your dad or mother as a part of their ticket. You know that each adult with a Coupon gets in the Ferguson Theatre for 20 cents on Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

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## McCAULLEY MATTERS

By JOHN P. HARDESTY

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Mayo and daughter, Jo Ann, of Big Spring, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mayo, McCauley, and the Mit Tidwells, Hamlin, Sunday. Also, Miss Nita Tidwell visited with her parents. Nita is in the employ of a beauty salon at Big Spring.

This scribe, with his helpmeet, had the pleasure of a visit at Weinert and Seymour, spending Saturday night with the Garland Davis family, former residents of McCauley, and then having Sunday lunch with Pastor J. R. Balch and family, Seymour. It was our privilege to occupy the pulpit of the Seymour Baptist Church at 11 o'clock, then to return to Weinert for the evening service at the Methodist Church where we occupied the pulpit for a most enjoyable service, presenting the cause of the orphanage at Abilene, of which the Rev. W. A. Nicholas is superintendent. Then another pleasant visit with the Davis family, returning Monday morning. We stopped by the Stamford Hospital to visit with E. H. Mason. Found him in the same good spirits, cheerful and happy. He speaks of his future with perfect composure and assurance. While there we also visited the young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hopson, Roby, who had an appendicitis operation on Thursday of last week. He is convalescing and expects to return home this week.

On Tuesday evening the Fishermen class of the Baptist Sunday school entertained the Kingdom Builders class with a social. A splendid program was rendered followed by contests, etc. Special guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Gilbert, Roby, both of whom

appeared on the program. Mr. Gilbert gave the life story of Abraham Lincoln while Mrs. Gilbert gave music numbers on the accordion, and also a splendid reading. Mrs. W. C. Jackson gave a brief story of the life and service of George Washington. Roy Hennington gave a chalk talk. Miss Crabtree gave numbers on the accordion also. D. S. Smith, president of the class, presided. H. P. Powers read the news from the "King Fish," official newspaper of the class. In the midst of this the pastor and his manager were directed to the southwest bed room of the Stephenson home, at which place the social was held, and there we found a miscellaneous shower of good things to eat, along with many and varied gifts, too many to mention in detail here. Words fail us in trying to express our appreciation of this surprise but welcome token of the love and esteem of our people. And we are glad to say that there were gifts from others than our own members. May our Heavenly Father reward all who thought to remember us in this material way. Mrs. Stephenson is the teacher of the Fishermen while Mrs. Hardesty is the teacher of the Kingdom Builders. Refreshments of chocolate and cake were enjoyed by more than forty guests.

The Methodist congregation, joined by many other friends, gave Miss Jewell Price a sunshine shower this week. Miss Price has been ordered by her physician to remain in bed for some weeks for a rest cure. Our sincere wish for her is that she may have an early and permanent recovery of her health.

Mr. and Mrs. George McBeth, of Highland Home, were guests of the Baptist congregation last Sunday. Mr. McBeth taught the Kingdom Builders class in the absence of the teacher. While here the McBeths were guests of the D. L. Smiths for

lunch and supper. Mr. and Mrs. McBeth are consecrated and gifted Christian workers, and their services here were greatly appreciated.

Since we were away for several days, and incidentally kept shut in by a slight attack of flue, we have not been able to secure much current news. News items handed us in time to get in this column each week will be greatly appreciated.

McCAULLEY H. D. CLUB

"Pruning stimulates new growth and wounds that are cut clean heal quickly." For that reason it is important to use good pruning shears and a sharp saw in pruning." Miss Hipp, county agent, demonstrated the above as she pruned roses at the home of Mrs. Louis Boyd in February 20 meeting of the McCauley Home Demonstration Club. Seven frame gardens reported.

Final plans and rehearsal schedule was announced for the club play, "Snow Bound," to be given March 16. Fifteen were present in spite of inclement weather.

—Reporter.

## BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

(By Mrs. Earl Brown)

There are still several new cases of measles in our community, but no one is very ill of them.

Miss Mildred Young of Abilene and Mrs. Roy Young of Tahoka spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompsey Young. Mr. J. P. Cornelius spent the week end with relatives of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Clinton Bristow and baby of Hamlin spent last week with Mrs. G. W. Bristow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cozzen and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Haught spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vaden Lester.

Miss Ethel Tindal is ill of the flu. Members of the P-T. A. enjoyed a candy breaking at their regular meeting on last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ben Byrd of Abilene visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cozzen, and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hancock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lorie Hancock of Newman.

Mr. R. E. Pope of Sherman is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Pope.

Several from our community attended the good singing at Avoca Sunday. A very large crowd was there to enjoy the splendid class singing and the special duets and quartets. The next convention will be at Lueders on next fourth Sunday.

The central interest of our community seems to be the oil well which is being drilled here. Some indications of oil has been shown, and an effort is being made to bring it in at its present depth of 2600 feet.

Mrs. Buster Bingham entertained a few of her friends on Tuesday evening honoring her husband on his birthday. Progressive forty-two

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**Raisins . Had Your 3 lb. Bag 19c**  
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**Pickles . . . Crown Qt. 14c**  
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Morrell's Tender Cured

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**Lard 3 lbs 29c**

Beef Seven

**Steaks lb 15c**

Pure Pork

**Sausage lb 15c**

Cello Roll Sliced

**Bacon lb 19c**

Sugar Cured

**Bacon**

IN THE PIECE

**Pound 18c**

Kitchen Craft

**Flour** 24 lb. Bag **65c** 48 lb. Bag **1.19**

Great Northern

**Beans . 2 lbs 15c**

Tender Sweet Whole Grain

**Corn** 2 No. 2 Cans **25c**

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**Coffee** 3 lb. Bag **42c**

Stokely's Finest No. 2

**Kraut** Can **10c**

Fluffiest—Cello

**Marshmallows** lbs **25c**

Cello Spaghetti or

**Macaroni** lb **10c**

Frenches

**Mustard** 2 9 oz. Jars **25c**

Dried Peaches 2 lbs

**Pimentos** . 4 oz can **5c**

Pinto Beans 2 lbs

**Noodles** . 16 oz pkg **15c**

Spry, 3 lb can

**Rice**, 3 lb bag **15c**

Jell-Well, 4 pkgs

**Ivory Soap** lg bar **10c**

Texas Valencia

**Oranges** 176 SIZE

**Dozen 19c**

Texas Seedless

**GRAPEFRUIT** 64 SIZE

**3 for 10c**

STRAWBERRIES, Florida 2 pint boxes

**NEW POTATOES**, 4 lbs **19c**

**LETTUCE**, 2 large heads **15c**

**TOMATOES**, pound **10c**

**CARROTS**, 2 bunches **5c**

**POTATOES** Idaho Russets, 10 lb Mesh Bag **29c**

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was played. The refreshment plate consisted of jello topped with whipped cream, pound cake and cocoa.

Mr. Louis Brown and Mr. Eldon Pope made a business trip to Fort Worth Friday.

Miss Betty Jo Barkley of Anson visited with Miss Edna Maude Crow Saturday.

Some friends and relatives of Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wortham Crow.

BOYD CHABEL CHIRPS

DELAYED FROM LAST WEEK

Several children in our community still have the measles, but no one is very ill of them. Mr. Whitenburg and Mr. Tindal are both improving slowly after having been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Holden spent Sunday with their son, Mr. Carle Holden of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ferguson spent part of last week in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Neidecken and Mr. Dorsey and Buster Bingham went to Hico Tuesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsey of Quitman are spending a few days with the Browns and Tindals.

A large crowd attended the singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young on last Wednesday evening. We also had a large crowd at the singing Sunday afternoon.

Bro. Mayhew delivered two interesting sermons Sunday. He heard Rev. Bob Jones preach at Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Those who visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wood Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Doss Harris of Anson, Mr. George Harris of Abilene, and Mr. Homer Harris of Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Haught and son, Marshall, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cozzen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rainey of Plasterco and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Bartlett of McCauley visited with Mrs. Stella Young Sunday.

Mr. Oran Foote of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Bingham Sunday.

Mrs. Grayson and grandson, Mr. Seago of Merkel spent Sunday with Mrs. G. B. Bristow and family.

Mrs. Bryan Agnew of Dovie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dutton.

Members of the Willing Workers

Club entertained their husbands with a fruit supper at the home of Mrs. J. P. Bingham on last Tuesday evening.

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